

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of :  
Quirin STERNER : Group Art Unit: Unknown  
Serial No.:Not Assigned : Examiner: Unassigned  
(U.S. National Stage of PCT/EP2004/012233)  
Filed: Herewith :  
For: **METHOD FOR DETERMINING ADDITIONAL FUEL CONSUMPTION IN A  
MOTOR VEHICLE AND METHOD FOR DISPLAYING ADDITIONAL FUEL  
CONSUMPTION**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows: